





Peace reigns and the city survives.  
Masteron is on the police force.

The circus managers were the only ones who were not kicking on the long dry season. The rain has not materially lessened them either, while it has made all others happy.

The settlement of the police question was suspended. When the Third warders slept together at Star Island it was believed a compromise was the result, and Cesar was ambitious.

And we are to have a display fountain. This is a little late, but it is all right. The fountain can serve as a monument to sewerage, waterworks, free postal delivery and restoration of peace by the selection of deputy marshals.

If the Republicans who were elected to city places last spring have accomplished much we should like to have particulars so the public might be informed. To make the account what it should be, plans and specifications ought to accompany it.

The corn crop has not suffered beyond redemption and the copious rains of Monday will do the farmers and the people generally much good. A few more showers and prospects will be much brighter, though of course corn will not be what it might have been.

We understand, of course, that there are only two real, able and worthy newspapers in Marion—and we are not in the pair—but current events are teaching that those who want the news, served fresh and complete rather than a rehash of things once gone over, must take the Star.

POSTMASTER FOGLESON has notified the council that the only thing in the way of free postal delivery for Marion is the placing of street signs at intersections. This should be done anyhow, and the promise of free delivery ought to hurry the matter a little. Postmaster Fogleson has made the formal application for the delivery system here and thinks it will be a short time until the plan will be in operation.

The council's action in making Mr. Bell engineer may be questioned considerably. We do not say this from any ill will that we have for Mr. Bell, nor from any disappointment over defeated applicants. There is hardly any doubt about the ability of the appointee, but his service to the county was very unsatisfactory. There is no secret about this, and remembering this fact we had hoped the council would look carefully to the city's interests and choose the best possible man for so important a position. There has been a good deal of dissatisfaction over the city engineering from time to time, and we have reached a period when Marion should have the best service attainable. We shall hope for good work, but the testimony of county officials is not encouraging. We speak frankly—in marked contrast to the action of a majority of councilmen. If the city is served with the ability that Bell is known to have, and is served carefully and faithfully, then we shall take pleasure in commending the good work done.

It is not apparent whether the Republicans have weakened or not in their position on the police question, but at any rate a force of deputy marshals has been appointed and the young man, over whom there was so much contention, is on the force. Probably the Republicans ceased to care, for Kling and Blake were absent Monday night. The public did not care much whether a force was chosen or not. There have been spells of nervousness when it was thought police were needed, but sober reflection and comparisons led to the conclusion that Marion was saving \$2000 a year and getting along happily without the ornamentation of a handsome police force. Former police forces have served largely as a bluff and barely anything more. Whether the new deputy marshals do better or not is to be seen. The selections seem to be good and valuable service may be rendered. There won't be any great public complaint either way. Municipal government is a funny thing, and it becomes a little more than ordinarily amusing to see four democratic councilmen manage four republican councilmen and a republican mayor in the political movements that deal out favors and patronage.

NOBLES-OWN, Pa., Aug. 5. Willie and Freddie Preston, aged 10 and 11 years respectively, were drowned at Ambler yesterday, while bathing in the Wis-sah-cum. The brothers were Girard college boys and were at Ambler for an outing. Their mother resides in Philadelphia.

It Proved to Be Murder.  
NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Mary Marie, who was shot by her husband, Andrew Marie, Sunday afternoon, died at the Presbyterian hospital yesterday afternoon. Marie has not yet been arrested.

## CAUGHT NAPPING!

THE DEMOCRATIC COUNCILMEN FIND THEMSELVES IN THE MAJORITY

The Absence of Republican Members of the City Council Gives the Democrats a Chance—Four Deputy Marshals Appointed in Lieu of Policemen—Bell to be Engineer—Report of the Proceedings.

The city council had a lively session Monday evening, and a great deal of business was transacted that has been hanging fire so long. When the mayor tapped order with the but end of his large jack-knife there were just six members in their seats—two Republicans and four Democrats, Blake and Kling being absent. It was imagined that a malicious twinkle could be detected in the eyes of the Democrats, when they discovered that there was a possibility of holding a majority through the meeting, and the signs were ominous of an interesting session before the close.

However, routine business was taken up, and after the reading of the minutes of the previous meetings, the plat of Mt. Vernon Heights addition, which had been up in council on two previous occasions, was again presented, and on motion was referred to the street and alley committee. An ordinance was afterward prepared accepting the plat and providing for the confirmation of streets and alleys therein named. On motion the ordinance was given the proper readings and adopted.

The petition of C. F. Garberson and others, asking for the extension of waterworks to and along east Center street, was referred to the committee on fire department and waterworks. And the petition of Frederick Staub and others for an electric light on Pearl street, was referred by motion to the committee on street lighting.

The large monthly batch of bills was presented, the majority bunched and ordered paid, but several dropped out to be voted on separately, some of which were referred back for revision, while others were accepted with but one dissenting vote. The bill of Daniel Lawrence, for crushed stone, amounting to \$377.32, was among those questioned, and on a vote payment was refused, Fairbanks and Saiter voting against the bill.

Postmaster Fogleson was present at the meeting, and addressed the council on the subject of free mail delivery. He stated that he had answered all the questions of the postoffice department in regard to the names of streets, numbers, etc., but there was no provision for street signs, a necessary step toward securing free delivery. A motion was accordingly placed before the council authorizing the committee on street lighting and gas to invite competition in the erection of proper street signs, and the matter was placed in the hands of the committee, with power to act.

The treasurer's and mayor's reports were read and on motion were placed on file. The petition of Patrick Lannon, with about forty signatures attached, asking for the consideration of his appointment as railway watchman, was read and referred to the mayor, as was also that of Wm. Dean, making a like request.

At this point in the proceedings somebody wanted to adjourn, but the question of appointments was sprung and the interest of spectators was awakened. The mayor accordingly appointed William Dean and I. B. Ebertson as watchmen at the Center and Silver street crossings of the C., H. V. and T. railroad, and the appointments were promptly and unanimously confirmed. The real fun, however, began with the appointment of policemen. The matter was gotten at by a proposition to ballot for men, the four having the largest number of votes to be appointed by the mayor. The result was that John McLaughlin, A. Benvenutti, B. C. Palmer and Ed. Masteron received the largest number of votes. With Masteron on the list the mayor again refused to appoint, and success began to look dubious. A resolution was then prepared, providing for the appointment by council of four deputy marshals on account of the failure to appoint policemen. It was evident that the resolution had been contemplated by the Democrats as an alternative, and that a favorable opportunity had been awaited to spring it. In the meantime Roberts had gone home disgusted, and with Isleib having glided gracefully over to the Democrats in the vote for Masteron in the preliminary nominating ballots, their opportunity looked most favorable for the success of the resolution. And so it was, for with Blake and Kling absent, Roberts on his way home, and Isleib luxuriating in democratic smiles, the resolution passed with a hurrah, and the matter of appointment was only of short duration. Accordingly B. C. Palmer, A. Benvenutti and Ed. Masteron were appointed, and Isleib, who had been so gallant, was graciously given the privilege of naming a fourth man, and he named Philip Ruhl, who was immediately appointed.

A city civil engineer had been previously chosen in the same way that an attempt had at first been made to get policemen. The agreement was made that the candidate receiving the highest number of votes should be appointed by the council. Nominations were made of the names of John Cunningham, J. G. Berry and Sam Bell. The ballot gave Bell 3, Berry 2 and Cunningham 1 vote, and Bell was appointed, and confirmed, probably no one being more greatly surprised than Mr. Bell himself.

On motion John McLaughlin was appointed to fill the vacancy at the engine house caused by the resignation

of Masteron, and McLaughlin, who has had several weeks' experience in that position as deputy for Masteron, will now be a permanent houseman. On motion council adjourned to meet Monday, August 18, the Democrats feeling much elated over their meeting, in which feeling they will be joined by a majority of a public that has become tired of the wearisome police question, which is fixed definitely for one year, the resolution providing for deputy marshals making their term for that length of time.

## LIGHTNING'S WORK

One Man Killed By the Electric Field and Three Others Shocked.

During the storm of Monday afternoon, H. L. Collins, who resides at Carpenter's Corners, about seven miles north of here, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. The unfortunate man had been engaged during the day in hauling wheat to Morral. On returning home in the afternoon he was overtaken by the heavy storm which crossed this section. While in the wagon he was struck by a bolt of lightning and instantly killed, the team of horses he was driving also receiving a share of the shock. The horses were knocked down and considerably stunned, but the current was not sufficient strong to kill them. Collins was a man of between 30 and 35 years of age. His funeral occurred this afternoon.

Another case is reported, wherein three men were badly shocked during the same storm, but escaped with their lives. Tom Clay, Wm. Hogan and a companion whose name is not learned, who were working on the Shrock school house, east of the city, were returning home and were caught by the storm just as they reached the city limits. They ran to a tree at the side of the road, opposite Howers' pasture, and got under the foliage for shelter from the storm, two of them sitting on the fence and one remaining on the ground. The tree is a gigantic oak and its branches are very thick and close together, making it a very dry and comfortable place to be during such a storm as that which visited us Monday afternoon and evening. Accordingly these men, without a thought of danger, made themselves as comfortable as possible and sat watching the flashes of lightning. A terrific peal of thunder was heard, followed apparently by a flash of lightning, which struck the tree. The shock knocked the men down and they remained senseless for some time, and, after they regained consciousness, they found that the lightning had struck the tree just between where the two men had been on the fence. The bolt was a very light one and the men were not much hurt, being able to work again this morning. However, their experience during this storm was one that they will not soon forget.

## TO HAVE A FOUNTAIN.

The County Commissioners Negotiating for the Purchase of Display Fountain.

At the regular monthly session of the county commissioners, held at their office Monday, the matter of the purchase of a display fountain, to be placed at the southwest corner of the court house was discussed, and, as it is understood, the matter was practically decided, so far as the erection of a fountain is concerned. Negotiations will be made for the purchase of a suitable fountain, one that will be an ornament to the court house square.

The contract was also let to Vaughan & Allen, the plumbers, for putting in two sprinkling hydrants, which will be put in at once.

## Barn Burned.

During the storm, about 5 o'clock Monday evening, lightning struck the barn of John Ruth, a farmer living one-half mile south of Longville. The building was in flames in an instant, and it was but the space of a few minutes until it, together with all the contents, were burned to the ground, entailing a total loss of about \$1000. The building, however, was insured for \$700 in the Ohio Farmers'.

—Messrs. L. Reber, G. W. Walters, T. Kelly, James Irvin, Chas. Gooding and Reed Howers, of the Marion County Agricultural Society, go to Delaware Wednesday to look over the grounds there to enable them to decide upon proposed improvements to the Marion grounds.

—We almost neglected to chronicle the arrival of a pretty baby girl at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Lake, on south Main, over a week ago. An unusually bright smile on the Doctor's countenance told the story.

—The first legal execution by electricity is expected to take place tonight at Auburn, New York. Avoid disappointment and leave your orders for tomorrow's papers at Wiant's.

—James Bounser has been obliged to lay off from his duties at the C. and A. for the past few days, on account of sickness.

—Misses Sarah and Ida Remmele, of Tiffin, are the guests of Misses Mary and Clara Keber, north of the city.

—Col. John Hood is still confined to his home from an attack of sickness of several days' duration.

—Byron Walter has gone to Columbus, where he contemplates remaining for some time.

—Miss Sophia Guggenheim, of Cleveland, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kleinmaier.

—A. C. Walter was at Ostrander in the interest of the Huber company today.

The distension of the stomach which many people feel after eating, may be due to improper mastication of the food; but, in most cases, it indicates a weakness of the digestive organs, the best remedy for which is one of Ayer's Pills, to be taken after dinner.

## STRAY MYTHS.

Japanese saying: You can't rivet a nail in a boiled potato.

Two wealthy Jews of Bagdad now own all that remains of the ancient town of Babylon.

A woman buried at New Madrid, Mo., recently weighed 750 pounds. There were sixteen active palibearers.

"Deserted Village," one of Goldsmith's masterpieces, has been translated into the tongue of the Hindoo race.

There are fourteen pages in the United States senate. They serve for four years each, being eligible only between the ages of 12 and 16.

A gentleman who drew out his pipe for an after-dinner smoke in the Grand hotel, Paris, was immediately told that the rules of the house did not allow pipes.

Some practical but inartistic German has made up a compound of sugar and condensed milk and tea, from which a cup of coffee had by simply pouring on boiling water.

Feminine toilets in England have this year reached a hitherto unheard of luxury of coiffures. Natural flowers have been entirely discarded for imitation blossoms made of jewels.

Among the guests at the Stanley-Tennant wedding, in Westminster Abbey, were twelve street Arabs, pupils of the London Ragged School union, who were present by special invitation of the bride.

The reason given why birds do not fall from their perch is because they cannot open the foot when the leg is bent. Look at a hen walking, and see it close the toes as it lifts its foot and open them as it touches the ground.

H. M. S. Blenheim, recently launched, will be the queen of cruisers. She is of 9,000 tons displacement, 20,000 horse power, 22 knots speed for four hours, unarmored, with steel deck 8 1/2 inches thick, two 22-ton guns, and other small arms.

A horsehoof of Norristown, Me., made nine miniature horsehoofs from a silver ten-cent piece. He has made affidavits that each and every one of the miniature shoes were made with the same hammer and punch used in making the largest sized real horsehoofs.

The great Bear River canal in Utah, for the construction of which \$2,000,000 has been provided, is expected to be one of the most extensive irrigation works in America. To get the river along the side hill along Bear creek canon and out on to the plain near Plymouth will necessitate moving 220,000 cubic yards of solid rock.

A watchmaker in Newcastle, England, recently completed a set of three gold shirt studs, in one of which is a watch that keeps excellent time, the dial being only three-sixteenths of an inch in diameter. The movement is connected by a strip of silk inside the shirt button, and the watch contained in the middle one is wound up by turning the stud above. The hands are set by turning the one below.

## NICKNAMES OF CITIES.

Athens, Greece, is called the City of the Violet Crown.

Limerick, Ireland, is called the City of the Violated Treaty.

London, England, is called the City of Masts and the Modern Babylon.

Venice, Italy, the Bride of the Sea, and Havana, Cuba, the Pearl of the Antilles.

Jerusalem, Palestine, is called the City of Peace and the City of the Great King.

Lowell, Mass., is called the City of Spindles and the Manchester of America.

Pittsburg, Pa., is called the Iron City, the Smoky City and the Birmingham of America.

Philadelphia, Pa., is called the Quaker City, City of Brotherly Love and the City of Homes.

Cincinnati, O., is called the Queen City, Portopolis, Queen of the West and Paris of America.

Baltimore, Maryland, is called the Monumental City; and Birmingham, O., is called Brain Town.

Edinburgh, Scotland, is called the Maiden Town, New Athens, Modern Athens and Athens of the North.

Aberdeen, Scotland, is called the Granite City; Alexandria, Egypt, the Delta City; and Akron, Ohio, the Summit City.

Rome, Italy, is called the Eternal City, Nameless City, Queen of Cities, Seven Hilled City and Mistress of the World.

Washington City, D. C., is called the City of Magnificent Distances, and New York, N. Y., Gotham, Empire City and the Metropolitan City.

Boston, Mass., is called the Puritan City, Modern Athens, Hub of the Universe, City of Notions, Athens of America and the Hub—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Sodom and Gomorrah are called the Cities of the Plain, Winnipeg, Man., the Gate City of the Northwest, and Zanesville, O., the City of Natural Advantages.

## HINTS FOR TRAVELERS.

Take one-fourth more money than your estimated expenses.

Acquaint yourself with the geography of the route and region of travel.

So arrange as to have but a single article of luggage to look after if possible.

Put your purse and watch in your vest pocket and all in your pocket, and you will not be likely to leave either.

Have a good supply of small change and no bill or piece higher than \$10, that you may not take counterfeit change.

Dress substantially. Better be too hot for two or three hours at noon than to be cool for the remainder of the twenty-four.

Arrange under all circumstances to be at the place of starting fifteen or twenty minutes before the time, thus allowing for unavoidable or unanticipated detention on the way.

Do not begin a day's travel before breakfast, even if it has to be eaten at daylight. Dinner or supper, or both, can be more healthily dispensed with than a good warm breakfast.

If there is no bolt on the inside of your chamber door lock the door, turn the key so that it can be drawn partly out and put the wash basin under it. Thus any attempt to use a jimmy or another key will push it out and cause a racket among the crockery, which will be pretty sure to arouse the sleeper and rouse the robber—True Place.

Pea-ter might have been the richest man in the world if he had cared for the commercial value of his discoveries and protected them by patents. In addition to his discoveries in the prevention of cholera he discovered the cause of a mysterious disease among silkworms, which threatened to destroy the silkworm industry in France, and applied a remedy.

## Resolutions on the Death of John Fields.

HALL OF CALEDONIA LODGE, No. 299 L. O. O. F.

CALEDONIA, O., Aug. 2d, 1890.

Whereas, According to the course of nature and the wisely arranged plans of our Heavenly Father we have been called to mourn the loss of our venerable father and brother, John Fields, who was a member of Caledonia Lodge, No. 250, L. O. O. F., and ever maintained a true and faithful position in said lodge all through its history until called to render up his stewardship for a grander and nobler life above—what is more satisfactory and consoling than to see, after a life of 86 years, his sun go down without a cloud, but radiant with joy and delight though the entire tabernacle was racked and decayed—therefore,

Resolved, That we deeply deplore the loss of our venerable and beloved brother (though living to a ripe old age) and would humbly bow in submission to the divine will and calmly say, Thy will be done.

Resolved, That we shall ever cherish the memory of Bro. Fields and endeavor to imitate his virtues while we still sojourn and work in the lodge below.

Resolved, That we deeply sympathize with the aged widow and family in this sore bereavement and would commend them to Him who can bind up the broken heart.

Resolved, That the community has lost a good and honorable citizen, one who endeavored to carry out its interests from a christian standpoint.

Resolved, That the lodge be draped in mourning for thirty days; that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the lodge, and that a copy be left at the house of the deceased and that they be published in the county papers and the Caledonia Argus.

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## That Terrible Cough.

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Good many trunk lines running east and west have cut down their fares this summer owing to the big increase of late in freights and consequent decrease on railroads.

The vicissitudes of climate are trying to most constitutions, especially to people having impure blood. For all such (and they constitute the majority) the best safeguard is Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the use of which cleanses the blood and strengthens and invigorates the system.

## Dyspepsia

Makes the lives of many people miserable, and often leads to self-destruction. Distress after eating, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint, "all over feeling," bad taste, coated tongue, and irregularity of the bowels, are

Distress some of the more common symptoms. Dyspepsia does not get well of itself. It requires careful, persistent attention, and a remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acts gently, yet surely and efficiently. It tones the stomach and other organs, regulates the digestion, creates a good appetite, and by thus

overcoming the local symptoms removes the sympathetic effects of the disease, banishes the headache, and refreshes the tired mind.

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia. I had but little appetite, and what I did eat distressed me, or did me little good. In an hour after eating I would experience a faintness, or tired, all-over feeling, as though I had not eaten anything. My trouble, I think, was aggravated by my business, which is that of a painter, and from being more or less shut up in a room with fresh paint.

Since I took Hood's Sarsaparilla—took three bottles. It gave me an immense amount of good. It gave me an appetite, and my food relished and satisfied. The craving I had previously experienced."

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## Fatal Slewage.

NEW YORK, Aug. 5.—Mitchell Jordan, colored, was fatally stabbed last night by William J. Strand, of N. Y. 12. Va., while ejecting the latter from Mitchell's saloon, on Christopher street.

## Heard With a Bail.

Boston, Aug. 5.—Lumpfrey Tosey, who was arrested Saturday charged with being implicated in the murder of Robert Emmet, was heard yesterday without bail.

James T. Gott, Carmel, Ill., Says: He paid thirty-one dollars doctor's bill for his wife's dyspepsia, and one bottle of Dr. Ayer's Female Regulator did her more good than all the medicine she had taken before.

D. HALE, Druggist, Carmel, Ill. Write Bradford Regl. Co., Atlanta, Ga., for particulars. Sold by H. C. Hoberman & Co.

## A General Strike Ordered.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 5.—About 400 men came out on a strike at Carbon Iron works yesterday. The trouble dated from July 1, at which time the puddlers to the number of twenty-six, refused to work as the firm would not sign the scale prepared by the Amalgamated association. Yesterday morning eight of the sixteen furnaces were started with colored men and a general strike was ordered.

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Stereoscopic Views, 2c  
Carpet Tacks, per paper, 1c  
Thread, 200 yards, per spool, 5 to 1c  
Gingham, per yard, 5 to 1c  
Muslin, per yard, 5 to 6c  
Two Quart Covered Buckets, 5c  
Sealing Wax, 4c  
Clothes Pins, 40 for, 5c  
Large Turkey-Red Handkerchiefs, 5c  
Bowls and Pitchers, 5c  
Chambers, 40c  
Sets of Cups and Saucers, 30c, 35c and 40c  
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## THE CURIOSITY SHOP.

A Collection of Fugitive Facts and Out-of-the-Ordinary Information.

Few ceremonial customs have originated in recent times, as every Garrison Mallory, who expresses himself as follows in a recent issue of The American Anthropologist: Their forms, whether now trivial or still important in sociology, are vestiges of the past, and only by anthropologic studies are traceable to their genesis and early form. All authorities, unswayed by a religious or theorizing bias, agree that in the origin of these ceremonies there was nothing designed or intentional; that is, they were not directly invented with definite purposes. A thing is not now and never has been customarily done because it is factually right, but is considered to be right after and because it has been habitually done, whatever its origin or the circumstances in which it prevailed.

The rules of courteous behavior as they now exist are not the immediate effect of deliberate conventions, but are the natural and necessary product of life, and they exhibit the laws of evolution with as great distinctness as is demonstrated in the physical realm. Men have not fabricated, though they have framed rules for themselves. They have fallen into the customs from which rules were framed, and then by unintended modifications have deviated into novelty and new rules.

**Peter the Great and His Dwarf.**

Formerly it was the custom of the great to maintain dwarfs in their retinue, and in the middle ages there were few royal courts without one, and thus from some of these little people rising to distinction. Peter the Great, czar of Russia, who was himself between 6 and 7 feet high, was very fond of dwarfs. When he went on his travels he had in his retinue four dwarfs. The most celebrated of Czar Peter's dwarfs was a little lady whom he called Pouppe. When fully grown to womanhood she was only as tall as a child of 5 or 6 years of age.

She was very pretty and extremely clever, and the gigantic czar took the greatest delight in her company, and was never tired of amusing himself with the lively little creature. Dwarfs seldom live to a great age, but this tiny mite outlived her friend the czar and all the members of his court, and reached the age of 100 years. She had suffered from many illnesses, and preserved all her faculties to the close of her long life.

**Hari-kari, or the Happy Dispatch.**

Hari-kari, or the happy dispatch, was a Japanese method of execution. When an official of rank was condemned to death a sword was sent to him; he took leave of his family, performed certain religious rites and then plunged the sword into his bowels, drawing it down at an oblique angle. If a gentleman had been insulted he would commit hari-kari on the doorstep of his enemy, who by the Japanese code of honor was compelled to do the same. Only old fashioned persons perform the happy dispatch nowadays in Japan; it has been shelved along with many other good old customs of that lovely empire, says The Sun.

**Dr. Brown-Sequard Distanced.**

The medical press is now announcing the alleged discovery by Dr. Malin-Conico, of Naples, of the "microbe of old age." The public is informed through Italian journals that the microbe of old age exists and is transmitted by heredity; invades with age the entire human organism, which it ravages and destroys, leading to caducity and finally to death. It is to be hoped that Dr. Malin-Conico's "discovery" will not end here, but that having found the subtle enemy he will next announce a successful means of combating it, and provide the patient public with a new elixir of youth.

**The Fleur-de-lis.**

The royal insignia of France, the fleur-de-lis, is generally supposed to have originally represented the lily. Authority on the legends and history of plants says: "In France the fleur-de-lis is so named by a corruption of fleur-de-Louis; it does not represent, as is generally supposed, the flower of a lily, but an iris, which was the emblem adopted by Louis VII on leaving for the Crusades, and was worn by the successors of that monarch."

**The Latin Races.**

Strictly speaking the Latin people were the inhabitants of Latium, in ancient Italy. The Latin races of today are the descendants of the Latin people, and are those who speak languages more or less derived from the Latin tongue. Such races are the Italians, Spanish and Portuguese and French. The South and Central American countries are called Latin America because their inhabitants are of Spanish and Portuguese extraction.

**Garibaldi's Island Home.**

The representatives of the family of the late Gen. Garibaldi have sold to the Italian government their patrimony in the island of Capri, for 200,000. They only reserved from the sale the house, tomb and garden of the famous general. The government, before acquiring full possession of the island, paid a further sum of 150,000, as compensation to different persons.

**The America's Cup.**

The America's cup was originally called the Queen's cup, and was given by the Royal Yacht Squadron in May, 1851, for a race around the Isle of Wight. The schooner yacht America, of which Commodore J. C. Stevens, of the New York Yacht Club, was the principal owner, won the trophy Aug. 22, 1851.

**Massachusetts.**

The name of the state of Massachusetts is said to be of Indian origin, and according to some authorities signifies "The Country of Hills," while others maintain that "Blue Hills" is the correct interpretation.

**Sonnettes of American Poets.**

John G. Whittier is known as the Bachelor Poet, John G. Saxe is sometimes called the American Hood, and Walt Whitman is called the Good Gray Poet.

**Escaloped Fish.**

An appetizing dish in warm weather is escaloped fish. Pick fine the remnants of fresh fish left from dinner, either baked, broiled or fried, removing all bones and skin. Butter a pudding dish and lay in the fish in layers, seasoning each layer with bits of butter, salt and pepper. Spread one-half of a cupful of cracker crumbs over the top, well buttered, pour enough milk over the whole to quite thoroughly moisten it and bake twenty minutes in a quick oven. Any kind of fish will do, but fried halibut is the nicest. Halibut requires a little more milk than fresh cod.

## YOUNG FOLKS COLUMN.

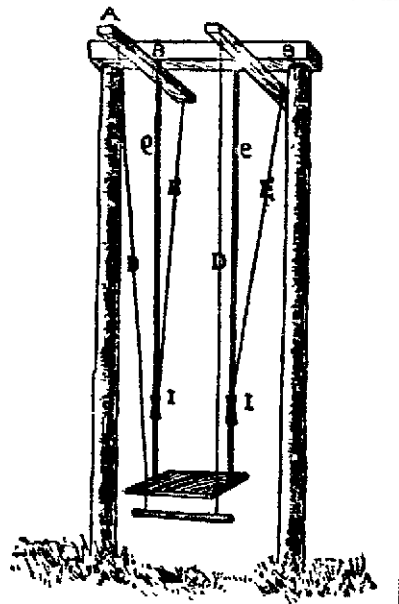
FOR THE ESPECIAL ENTERTAINMENT OF BRIGHT BOYS AND GIRLS.

**Directions for Making a Self Acting Swing That Will Afford Much Enjoyment Without Fear of Injury from Its Breaking Down.**

The swing shown in the engraving was described not long ago by a correspondent in the Springfield Homestead, who says that it may be double acting or single, to suit the fancy of the maker.

The cross pieces (A) are spiked or bolted to the cap B. This is a scantling six inches square, or a rustic log mortised to two uprights of a like character that are at least fifteen feet above ground, and should be set in the ground from five to seven feet. The swing rope (C) is fastened to B, about four inches inside of the cross pieces A. The rope is made of three-eighths or one-half inch round iron, or old lightning rod may be used.

The ropes D D should be fastened about one foot from the main rope, and toward the end of the stick A. They should be brought down and passed through the rope E and two to three inches away from it. They must then be tied to the foot bar.



A SELF ACTING SWING.

This must be adjusted to suit the size of the swinger. There should be a small pulley (a large spool will answer) put in the seat in front of the rope, where it is likely to wear, and a loop should be made for each foot and fastened to the foot bar. This loop will draw across the tassel when the seat is in contact with the bar, so the foot will not slip off. The ropes E E are made fast in the opposite direction from D D, at the other end of the bar A. These are brought down and fastened to the handles I at the proper height. The handles must be made of hard wood, with a hole bored through them and passed over the main rope (which is of iron) before it is put up. A notch is made around the upper end of the handles to attach the rope E E.

**Running Away.**

"When I was a child," writes a lady who is noted for her placidity of disposition and her capacity of endurance, "I had a notorious hot temper. As soon as my mother saw one of the 'dits' coming on she used to say gently, 'Perhaps you had better run away a little while, dear.' Then I would take my sled or my little garden hoe, according to the season, dash out of doors, and stay there until the evil spirit had passed by.

"We kept up that little habit, my mother and I, I entered the young ladies' seminary of our town, and there I worked very hard, but, unlike many of the girls, I did not break down. Whenever my mother noticed that my forehead was beginning to tingle itself up in a knot over my books she would say: 'Run away for an hour, daughter. The sunshine is very bright, and I want you to go out and soak yourself in it.'

"Of course I didn't always want to go, but mother could be firm as well as indulgent, and the result was that I did a great deal of running away, either to bed or into the open air. The other girls kept themselves awake on coffee in order to study late at night, and some of them did outstrip me in book knowledge. Still, I came to believe so fully in my mother's prescription that I made it one of my rules of life, and I am consequently one of the people who have

"Lived to fight another day."

**An Ugly but Valuable Animal.**

Admiral D. D. Porter, who in a trip to North Africa for the purpose of obtaining camels learned much about these unprepossessing looking animals, is authority for the following interesting facts about their valuable qualities:

"In their campaigns against Algiers the French were surprised to see their camels, although reduced to skeletons, making forced marches with their loads. Mules in their condition could not have carried even their saddles.

"A camel's flesh is as good as beef. You can hardly tell one meat from the other. Camel's milk is very good, as I can testify, because I used it in my coffee.

"A camel generally drinks once in three days, and besides his four stomachs he carries a sort of reservoir in which he stores water. I have been told that even ten days after the death of a camel this reservoir can be opened, and ten or fifteen pints of clear, drinkable water, taken from it."

**Non-Committal.**



Stranger—Was you looking for anything?

Boy—Yes.

Stranger—What was you looking for?

Boy (cautiously)—For what I lost—Golden Days.

The peeling of onions is always distasteful on account of the smell left on the hands. Rubbing the hands with parsley or celery is a fairly effective antidote.

## The Milkman at the Pump.

Milkmen are much the same all over the world in their attempts to palm off upon the public as much water as they can disguise. On the Boulevard de Magenta recently, at an early hour in the morning, two policemen came upon one of these purveyors of lactical fluid busily filling up the cans on his cart from the pump, and with such stuff, too! Owing to the drought most of the water used in Paris is taken from the Seine, and its quality may be gathered from the fact that in the public schools orders have been issued that none is to be employed for drinking purposes without being filtered.

The constables challenged the milky Aquarius, who replied courteously: "Ah! well, you have fairly caught me this time. Jump up on my cart and I will drive you to the police office to save you trouble." This amiable invitation was refused by the sergeants de ville, who ordered the delinquent to come out of his cart and walk with them. Instead of complying he whipped up his horse and attempted to escape. At considerable risk one of the constables seized the animal's head, brought it to a standstill, and arrested the delinquent, who along with his "mixture" was marched off to the station. The unusual incident collected a large number of spectators, chiefly workpeople, whose remarks to the erring milkman were far from complimentary.—Paris Cor. London Telegraph.

**A Big Rabbit Trap.**

Illinois proudly comes to the front for a high place in the world of invention. Its inventor is Mr. Funk, a farmer at Heyworth. This invention is a rabbit trap. Mr. Funk is a competitor for the prize of \$125,000 offered by the Australian government for a device that will rid Australia of the terrible rabbit pest which threatens to destroy its agriculture. Various things have been tried without success. The M. Pasteur plan of inoculating the rabbits with a deadly disease was the most promising of these, but this was also a failure. Funk's trap dumps the rabbits into a pit by means of a platform swung on pivots below a bait suspended above it. He has just been informed that the parliamentary committee on rabbits regards it with favor, and has been asked to come to Australia to look after it.—Exchange.

**A Mosquito Killer.**

Lighthouse Point has for years been infested by mosquitoes, but this year it is said that these insects are harder to find there than picnic gatherings. The reason is that a bug of bigger growth has come along and completely destroyed the mosquito plague. This bug is known by the name of devil's fly, darning needle or spindle bug. It has a long red body and long, tapering, gauze wings. They are regarded as a great boon, as they eat every mosquito that comes along.—New Haven Register.

**An Emblem of War.**

Jenks—Singular that the peaceful, mild eyed seal should cause so much trouble between Uncle Sam and John Bull.

Jinks—Peaceful nothing! Mild eyed, fiddlesticks! Mars was nowhere compared to a seal as an emblem of war. First, civil war in my family about seal-skins; now, a threatened war between two nations. Glad when the last seal is dead.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

**Irrepressible Boys.**

An attempt was made at Belfast the night before the Fourth to prevent the small boys from making the night hideous with the ringing of bells. Notwithstanding the vigilance of five policemen, one of whom was stationed at each church, the boys succeeded in entering one belfry by the lightning rod. The police force might just as well have attempted to stop the sun from rising.—Maine Letter.

**Butterflies in the Snow.**

D. L. Mann, of Sugar Pine, one of our practical woodmen, was in town last week. He reports that millions of butterflies are in the snow belt of the Sierras this year. He says that in riding through the snow clouds of them were seen by him. They were so troublesome that his horse would snort and shake his head to keep them out of his nostrils.—Toolumne Independent.

**Indigo for Bee Stings.**

I see that a lady in Jersey City has died from blood poisoning from a bee sting. Had she gone into the nearest laundry and rubbed the part affected with a blue bag it would be now alive and well of the sting. It is an effective remedy. I know several cases where indigo applied in that simple manner never failed to cure.—Cor. New York World.

So there are 64,500,000 of us! Superintendent Porter thinks that the census of 1890 will give the United States about those population figures. There is no cause for complaint. This gives us nearly 15,000,000 more than we had ten years ago. No country can show greater advances in wealth and population in the past decade.

A remarkable invention has been made in Austria whereby the serious effects of railway collisions are prevented. Glass tubes project before the train, and if they are broken by an obstacle an electric movement is applied to the brakes, bringing the train immediately to a standstill.

Twenty-eight people are reported as having left Moosehead lake in one day within a week because it is so cold up there. This news won't be likely to make other folks desire to keep away from that part of Maine.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stuart Phelps-Ward is described as a shy woman of delicate features. Her eyes have a look of sadness in them. The strength of her face appears in her forehead. She is a quiet but engaging talker.

## A Discriminating Shot.

The following story is told of a couple of sportsmen. Their names were Hoffman and Cowan and both were excellent shots, and not a little given to boasting of their skill. One day they went on a deer hunting expedition, and, after getting into the woods, where they expected to find deer, they separated. Shortly after Hoffman heard Cowan's gun fired off, when he immediately went over to the spot where he heard the shot, expecting to be obliged to help Cowan to hang up a deer. He found Cowan very busy loading his gun and shouted out:

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"None of your business! Go along over the hill



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### Farmer's Picnic.

At a meeting of the Marion county Farmers' Alliance, Aug. 24, it was decided to hold a farmers' picnic on Wednesday, August 27th, place to be selected by the committee. The Grange, Institute and all farmers and citizens friendly to and interested in the prosperity of agriculture, are cordially invited to meet with us and aid in making this meeting a grand success.

The following committees were appointed: On location of place, Salmon, Howser and J.N. Uncapher; committee on program, Likins, Ketterer and J.W. Millisor; committee on arrangements for Marion Alliance, E. Rush, Victor, W.W. Haley; Richmond, J.G. Gompf; Scott, A.T. Lyon; Big Island, P. Bumford; Egypt, M. Hart; Martel, D.N. Auld, H. Corners, C.H. Saiter.

The above mentioned committees and all bodies wishing to unite with us are requested to meet at probate court room next Saturday, Aug. 27th, at 3 p.m. E. Hoch, Pres., pro tem. G.E. LAWRENCE, Sec.

### Items From the Camp.

Several more tents have been erected since Monday, and the camp will soon be in readiness for the meeting. A tent has been erected for the children, in which special services will be held for them. Also a tent has been pitched under which the books and other publication of the denomination will be exhibited for sale. The large pavilion is in the course of erection today. It has a seating capacity of about two thousand. The delegation from Cleveland arrived last evening, including L.T. Dyser, the secretary of the conference. Many more are expected tomorrow.

### The Ladies Delighted.

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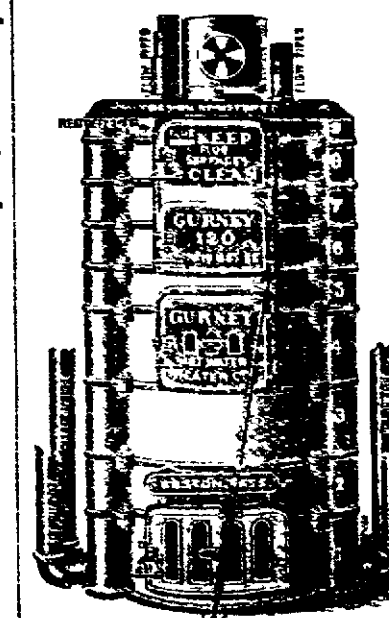
—Rube Stull, Rev. J. Stull and Frank Reinhold are attending the annual camp meeting of the Evangelical church at L'wood.

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FOR RENT—House of six rooms, central location. Price \$10 per month. J.G. LEFFLER, Grocer. [217-15]

FOR RENT—Room, furnished or not, furnished, in dwelling on south East street. Apply to Mrs. Margaret Schults, 308 south East street. [220-15]

FOR SALE—Good, gentle horse, can be driven by any lady; will sell cheap. Inquire at residence of Dr. Miner, 331 Silver street. [218-15]

LOST—On or about May 16th, in Marion, O., a note for two hundred dollars, made by L.V. McGee, of Collins, O., in favor of L.G. Hovick. The finder will please return the same to Isaiah Uncapher, of Marion. [218-15]

LOST—A bundle containing black suit of clothes, shirt, necktie and collar. Clothing has been worn and in pockets inside addressed to Jesse H. Bebout. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at this office. [218-15]

LOST—An hundred foot steel tape, in leather case. The finder will be rewarded by returning same to STAN office. [220-15]

WANTED—Experienced girl to do housework. Apply at once to Mrs. J.J. Hane, on east Center street. [220-15]

WANTED—A good girl to do light housework; wanted at once. Apply to Mrs. S. Stinger, east Center street, in True building. [221-15]

—Bring your work to the Marion Steam Laundry. 206-15.

—Order your screen doors at Prendergasts, now and save money. 140-15.

—All those who haven't seen Madame Genoskey should avail themselves of the privilege during this the last week of her stay, ending Thursday next, 126 south East street.

—See Prendergast at once if you wish to buy your winter's supply of hard or soft coal. Their prices are extremely low. 183-15

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Challies, India Silks, Embroidered Patterns, Etc., Etc., and Remnants at almost your own price.

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## JOHN FRASH.

—Cunningham, the plumber.

—The C. and A. officials have opened up the night telegraph office at DeCliff.

—Quite a number from here will take in the Barnum circus at Lima, Wednesday.

—Henry Gregory has the foundation laid for a new residence on west Center street.

—Harry Scribner is somewhat under the weather and laying off from his duties at Nelson's.

—The county commissioners were in regular monthly session Monday, paying bills and allowing claims.

—What steam is to the engine, Hood's Sarsaparilla is to the body, producing bodily power and furnishing mental force.

—The deputy marshals appointed by council Monday evening will go on duty as soon as their bonds are fixed and they are sworn in.

—Rev. W.P. Hale received by express, Monday August 4th, two cases of honey from his brother, Dr. H.E. Hale, Bell City, Ill.

—A party of picnickers had intended going to the dam below Prospect today, but have postponed the trip until Thursday or Friday.

—A fight occurred in the C. and A. yards Monday afternoon between a brakeman and a well-known freight conductor. The conductor got considerably the worst of it.

—The game of ball at Kensington Place Monday afternoon, between the machinists of the Huber shop and the Normal nine, resulted in a victory for the latter, the score standing 14 to 16.

—Winnie Fish, aged 2 years and 5 months, a daughter of B.E. Fish, of Green Camp, died at her parents' home Monday morning. The funeral services took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—The Caledonia base ball club will be over tomorrow, and will play the Buckeyes at Kensington Place, in the afternoon. The villagers are in the habit of putting up very fair ball, and the game promises to be interesting.

—The employees of the Singer sewing machine offices of Delaware, Union, Crawford, Morrow and Marion counties picnicked at Gallon Saturday last. These picnics are always notable for their unusual pleasure and this last one was doubtless no exception.

—Will Mouser made a trip to Columbus today.

—Miss Mamie Hane is visiting friends at Paulding, Ohio.

—Miss Edna Dando, of Dayton, spent Sunday with friends here.

—Mrs. Rose Baldwin left this morning for a short visit at Chicago.

—Andrew Sauter, a contractor at the Huber works, is taking a week's lay-off.

—Miss Kate Connors left Wednesday night for New York to spend the summer.

—Miss Bernice Christian is confined to her home on East street with sickness.

—John Essex has resumed his position at the Erie freight office, after a 15 days' lay-off.

—John Landon left for Chicago today, where he will remain several days to transact business.

—Miss Anna Porter has returned from a seven months' visit with friends at Sandusky City, O.

—Miss Libbie Ackerman has gone to New York to visit her parents and friends for about a month.

—Mrs. C.W. Leffler and children have returned home, after a week's visit with friends in Columbus.

—The Misses Hamen, of Forest, and Doty, of Lexington, Ky., have returned home after a pleasant visit here.

—Low Liverser has resigned his position as C. and A. night yard clerk and will hereafter switch in the yards.

—Miss Jessie Scott, of Kenton, Ohio, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mrs. C.W. Conaway, on south West street.

—J.N. Stull, son of Rev. D. Stull and who has just arrived here from Atlanta, Ga., is quite sick at the home of his father.

—Mrs. Fred Gottschall returned today to her home in Columbus, after a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Leffler.

—Mrs. Buskirk, of Bloomington, Ind., is making an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. J.M. McGee, having been here several weeks.

—Mrs. J.W. Wren left Monday for Urbana. Mr. Wren leaves tomorrow for that place, where he will join his wife in a two weeks' visit among friends, during camp meeting.

—James Shenick, of Nankin, who has been working in the Erie freight office here for the past 15 days, left this morning to accept a temporary agency of the company's business at Oshtone, Ohio.

—Engineer J.W. Scott was up surveying the Marion and Wyandot pike today. This is the road over which there is so much contention, there being a petition each for the one-mile and the two-mile plan. The present surveying is being done on the two-mile plan as a trial.

—Mrs. Bollinger, the wife of James Bollinger, living in East Marion, died at her home this morning at an early hour, after two weeks' sickness with what is pronounced typhoid fever. The woman leaves two children, one of which is a small baby. Her funeral will occur at the house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Bollinger moved here from Caledonia early in the spring.

—Engineer Reynolds arrived in the city today from Cincinnati, and will represent Consulting Engineer Hill in the sewerage construction. Active operation in the construction of the out-fall sewer will begin Wednesday with a large force of men, and will be pushed rapidly along. It is the intention of the contractors to employ local men so far as possible, if a sufficient force can be secured.

—Geo. Tadlock, one of the members of the North Marion Glee Club, known in that vicinity as the "Six", departed for his old home in Danville, Ky., Monday night. Before his departure the members, with other invited guests, passed a few delightful hours at his home, where they were royally entertained. After refreshments, some delightful music was rendered by the Misses Lizzie and Laura Hudson, after which the rest of the members accompanied George to the depot and with much regret witnessed his departure. The evening will long be remembered as one of the most pleasant that has ever passed.